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AN ACT

To amend chapter 103, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the health plan for state employees.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 103, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 103.102, to read as follows:

103.102. Any employee eligible for medical benefits coverage pursuant to this chapter may decline such coverage and in lieu thereof receive an amount equal to fifty percent of the portion of the costs calculated in section 103.100 which would have been paid by the state for medical benefits coverage for such employee through the state health plan. Such amounts shall be:

- (1) Paid directly to the health insurer providing a medical benefits plan purchased by the employee as coverage for himself or herself; or
- 8 (2) Included in the salary of the employee upon submission of proof that the 9 employee is otherwise receiving health insurance coverage not paid for by the employee, 0 such as coverage through a spouse or other employment.